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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Dr. Paddy Jim BAGGOT

Serial No.: 09/499,006

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For: TREATMENT OF CHROMOSOMAL  
ABNORMALITIES IN FETUSES  
THROUGH A COMPREHENSIVE  
METABOLIC ANALYSIS OF  
AMNIOTIC FLUID

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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL ACTION

BOX AMENDMENT FEE  
Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 21, 2002, please amend the application identified above as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 15 and 21 as follows. Additionally, Applicant includes, on separate sheets, marked versions of the amended claims.

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